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### Revs. Gallaudet, Syle to be honored Sunday

This Sunday marks a very special day for Gallaudet University and the deaf community in general. The Washington Cathedral will honor the Revs. Thomas Gallaudet and Henry Winter Syle, pioneers in the Episcopal Church who played important roles in the lives of deaf people, with a special service.

The 11 a.m. service, which will signify the inclusion of Gallaudet and Syle into the Episcopal Church's liturgical calendar, will be conducted by the Rev. Jay L. Croft, the University's Episcopal/Anglican chaplain on campus. This is the first time that a deaf person has conducted a service at the Cathedral.

Other participants in the service will be Gallaudet President King Jordan, officers of the Episcopal Conference of the Deaf, and clergy and leaders of local congregations of deaf people. A similar service will be held the same day at Grace Cathedral in San Francisco.

The services will be presented in speech and sign language, and the public is invited to attend. The Caption-America Company will donate real-time captioning services.

By being included in the church's liturgical calendar, an honor that commemorates people who have done outstanding work for the church, Gallaudet and Syle will be remembered at approximately the same time yearly in Episcopal Church services.

Rev. Gallaudet (1822-1902) was the eldest son of the Rev. Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet and the elder brother of Gallaudet University's first president,

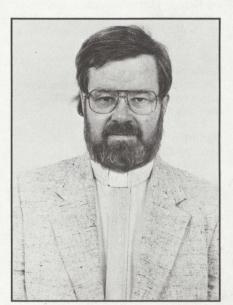
Edward Miner Gallaudet. He founded many churches for deaf people, beginning with St. Ann's Church for the Deaf in New York City in 1852.

Rev. Syle (1846-1902) bears the distinction of being the first deaf person to be ordained in any church.

After considerable controversy, he was ordained as a deacon in Philadelphia in 1876 and was advanced to the priesthood in 1883. A bust of Syle is in the Hall of Fame collection in Chapel Hall.

Gallaudet's Department of TV, Film, and Photography will videotape the service as a feature for the program "Deaf Mosaic."

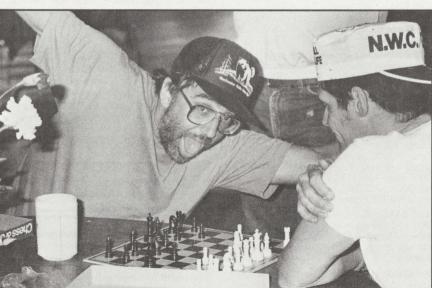
The Washington Cathedral is located at Massachusetts and Wisconsin Avenues, in Northwest D.C.



Rev. Jay L. Croft







In these scenes from the Physical Plant Department's annual Staff Appreciation Day, room mechanic supervisor Homer Billups prepares himself for another soaking in the dunking booth; administrative services supervisor Regina Pradier and Northwest Campus groundskeeper James Hayes go through their paces in the dance contest; and electrician Marc Schweitzer clowns with environmental technician John Travis over a game of chess.

# Physical Plant staffers unwind at Appreciation Day celebration

Gallaudet's Physical Plant Department (PPD) staff members enjoyed an afternoon away from their normally heavy workloads Aug. 11 at the PPD's annual Staff Appreciation Day.

Following an awards ceremony in the MSSD auditorium, staff adjourned to the lowel level of the school's parking garage for barbecued chicken and hamburgers, horseshoes and volleyball, dance and pie eating contests, and more good times.

The annual picnic is given for PPD employees by the department to show the campus' gratitude for the hard work that they give to the University.

This year, more than 40 awards were given to outstanding PPD employees. At the top of the list were nine "Employees of the Year":

• Maintenance Services—Joe Curtis, who started as a custodian in 1979 and is now a mechanic III in the HVAC Shop.

 Special Projects—Dennis Naber, who started in 1983 as a mechanic IV and is now a carpenter I.

- Northwest Services—Bernie Jones, who began his career in 1980 as a carpenter II and is now a carpenter I.
- Custodian of the Year—Elsie Houtman, who started as a custodian in 1969.
- Utilities Services—Scott Gordon, an apprentice engineer in the Utilities Plant, who started in 1987.
- Grounds Services—Henry
   McGleen, a two-time winner in this category, who started as a grounds-keeper in 1981.
- Supervisor—Ray Moore, also a two-time winner, who has been PPD's grounds supervisor since 1980.
- Special Achievement—Kenneth Massie, who won his award for Outstanding Service in Energy Management. Massie started in 1977 as an electrician and is presently an energy conservation coordinator.
- Support Services—June Bartholow, who came to PPD from the Registrar's Office in 1985 and is now senior coordinator.

# Items lost around Deaf Way period are at Safety and Security office

The Department of Safety and Security (DOSS) has a number of items that were found from May to August. Many articles were found around the time of The Deaf Way Conference and Festival held July 9 through 13.

The following items are being held at the DOSS office in the Chapel Hall basement and can be picked up from Officer Billie Holman between 6 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., Monday through Friday:

Silver brooch, bead necklace, chain bracelet, gold-colored band bracelet,

St. Rita High School ring, silver chain necklace, black stone ring; Quantum, Timex, Gallaudet University symbol, Citizen watches; 35 mm Anso, Tudor 301, Kodak 608, Centia 100X cameras; two Phonic Ear aids, two Octicon aids, one Bernafon aid; six pairs of eyeglasses; Basic News Reporting, Basic English Grammar, History of Russia and the Soviet Union textbooks; DataLife Minidisk, Newsroom clip art, Casio pocket calculator, women's tan knit jacket, red telephone/address book.

#### Fall sign classes for employees offered by Sign Communication

Gallaudet University employees can choose from a variety of sign language classes offered this fall by the Department of Sign Communication.

"Conversational ASL" classes will be held for general staff Sept. 18 through Nov. 28:

"Level I"-Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30-10:50 a.m. in the Field House, Room 115, instructor Stephen Ryan.

"Level II"-Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2:30-3:50 p.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UW-11, instructor Agnes Sutcliffe.

'Level III"-Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30-10:50 a.m. in the Elstad Classroom, Elstad Auditorium, instructor Stephen Ryan. "Conversational ASL" will also be

taught to general staff by Val Dively Sept. 25 through Dec. 5:

'Level I"-Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30-10:50 a.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UW-11.

"Level II"-Mondays and Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 12:20 p.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UW-11. "Level III"—Tuesdays and Thursdays

from 9:30-10:50 a.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UE-12.

Dively will also teach "Conversational ASL, Level IV," to both staff and faculty Sept. 25 through Dec. 5 on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 12:20 p.m. in the Field House, Room 114.

The following courses are also open to both staff and faculty Sept. 18 through Nov. 12:

"Conversational ASL, Level V"-Mondays and Wednesdays from 2-3:30 p.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UW-11, instructor Agnes Sutcliffe.

"Fingertalk I"-Mondays and Wednesdays from noon to 1 p.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UW-11, instructor Agnes Sutcliffe.
"Fingertalk II"—Mondays and Wed-

nesdays from 9-10 a.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UE-13, instructor Agnes Sutcliffe.

Sutcliffe will also teach "Ongoing Sign Communication," which continues the summer New Faculty Orientation, to faculty and professional staff only on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m. in Merrill Learning Center, Room UW-11.

A faculty and staff seminar, "Usage of Non-Manual Signals," will be taught by Brenda Mitchiner daily Nov. 6-17 from noon to 12:50 p.m. in Kendall Hall, Room 104.

To register for classes, employees must fill out the registration forms sent to them through campus mail or pick one up at the Department of Sign Communication, Kendall Hall, Room 201. Forms must be signed by employees' supervisors and received in Kendall Hall by Sept. 8. Telephone registration is not permitted.



Freshman Michael Mazzaroppi of New York (right) and Rosaria Arcaro of Texas (second from right) were among 57 students who attended the New Signer's Program's (NSP) welcoming ceremonies with their families in Chapel Hall. NSP ended Aug, 17.

#### **Announcements**

Effective Aug. 20, patrons and employees of the Gallaudet University library will have to refrain from eating, drinking, or smoking anywhere in the library, classrooms, or common areas of the Merrill Learning Center. The Dean's Advisory Board, the Academic Affairs Management Team, and the library's Management Committee all endorsed the new policy as the best way to protect the University's Special Collection on Deafness, videotapes, VCRs, computers, and furniture from the damaging effects of smoke, and the insects, mold, vermin, bacteria, and fungi that are attracted to areas where food

and drink are found. The new policy will also provide a smoke-free environment for patrons.

The library will give the following tours of its resources: Monday-Tuesday, Aug. 12-29, 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Wednesday, Aug. 30, 9 a.m. and noon; Thursday, Aug. 31, 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.; and Friday, Sept. 1, 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. All tours will meet at the information desk on the middle level of the library. Registration is not required. Tours will be offered through mid-September.

## **Among Ourselves**

Dr. Sharon Barnartt, associate professor of sociology in the Department of Sociology and Social Work, has been awarded a Fullbright Teaching Grant by the Council for the International Exchange of Scholars. Barnartt will teach courses in the sociology of deafness at the University of Zimbabwe in Harare, Zimbabwe, from October 1989 until July 1990.

Loraine DiPietro, director of the National Information Center on Deafness, and Dr. Deborah Sonnestrahl, associate professor in the Art Department, both served as judges in the Deaf Heritage Week Logo Contests held recently by



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the Council on Government's Library Service to the Deaf Interest Group. The winning logo was created by Heather Bigio, a ninth-grade student at Herbert Hoover Junior High School. It will be used to promote Deaf Heritage Week programs to be held Dec. 3-9 in the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Northern Virginia.

Science teacher Joyce Doblmeier of the Model Secondary School for the Deaf received the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf's Outstanding Teacher Award for excellence in education of deaf students in June

#### Memorial planned for Rev. Richards

A memorial service is being planned at Gallaudet for the Rev. Raymond Richards, a former Catholic chaplain for the campus and a faculty member in the Department of Philosophy and Religion, who died on July 12.

According to the Rev. Jerry Trancone, the campus' present Catholic chaplain, Rev. Richards died at his home in Brooklyn, N.Y., following an illness that he contracted while in Rome earlier in the month.

Richards, a native of Brooklyn, served the Gallaudet community from 1973-78. He left the University to become an associate priest for a church in the Brooklyn Diocese, and later became priest of another church in the diocese.

Rev. Trancone said that the memorial service will be held in Chapel Hall next month. A specific date will be announced to the campus community in On the Green in a later issue.

### Classified Ads

**CLASSIFIED ADS** are printed free as a service to Gallaudet faculty and staff. They must be submitted in writing only to *On the Green*, MSSD, Room G-37. Ads may be run for a maximum of two weeks, if requested and if space permits. The deadline for submitting advertisements is Friday, 10 days before the desired publication. Ads received by Friday, Sept. 1, will appear in the Sept. 11 issue. There will be no issue on Sept. 4 due to the Labor Day holiday.

FOR SALE: '73 Volkswagen Bug, aqua, runs great, beautiful upholstery, must see to appreciate, \$1,300/BO. Call Sue, 379-7533 (TDD) after 7 p.m.

FOR SALE: '83 Toyota Tercel SR-5 hatchback, 48K mi., exc. cond., 30 plus mpg, many extras, peppy, reliable, \$3,300. Call Ginny, x5540 or 548-9417 (V/TDD).

WANTED: Fair to intermediate tennis player seeks tennis partner, avail. most days after work. Call Randy, x3536, 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m. M-F.

WANTED: Roommate to share condo in Germantown, Md., w/ASL student; must be quiet, responsible, nonsmoking professional or grad. student aged 25-40; private unfurn. BR w/full bath; no pets; near Metro, MARC, and buses; female preferred, deposit and reference required, rent neg. Call Claire, 495-7173 (V) 7 a.m.-3 p.m. or 540-3067 (V/TDD). Leave voice message or call for TDD after 10 p.m.

FOR SALE: Wooden crib, \$250; changing table w/4 storage areas, \$50; girl's white 4-drawer dresser, \$25; double bed mattress and box spring, \$50; all in exc. cond. Call Sheila, x5005.

WANTED: Boy's twin bunk beds. Call Sheila, x5005.

**WANTED:** Responsible nonsmoking female to share house in Bowie, Md., must like dogs and have own transportation, avail. now, \$200/mo. plus ½ util. Call Carol, x5061 or 464-2664 (V/TDD) eves.

FOR SALE: '78 Plymouth Arrow, 77K

mi., AM/FM radio, AC, good cond., \$1,500/neg.; L-shaped bunk bed set w/shelf, \$200; DP exercise equipment, \$225; car seat for child up to 40 lbs., \$50. Call x6293.

FOR SALE: American Eskimo puppy w/papers and shots, pure white, 5½ mos. old, must sell ASAP, \$273. Call Daniel, x5410 or the Dickersons, 499-1385 (V) af-

**WANTED:** Nonsmoking female to share 2-BR apt. in Alexandria, Va., \$350/mo. Call Patty, 765-8935 (V/TDD).

FOR SALE: '85 Ford Escort, 2-dr. hatchback, 4 speed, cruise control, AM/FM cassette, new tires and exhaust system, recently tuned, very good cond., \$2,300. Call 982-4588 (V) before 8 p.m.

**WANTED:** Nonsmoker to share apt., private BR and bath, kitchen and living room privileges, W/D, own transportation, \$375/mo. inc. util. Call Babs, x5045 or 345-8010 (TDD) eves./weekends.

WANTED: Nonsmoking housemates to share townhouse in Seabrook, Md., pool and tennis, 10 mi. from Gallaudet. Call 794-5758 (TDD).

#### Job Openings

Some of the advertised positions may already be filled. The list below includes only new staff and faculty openings and does not represent all jobs available. To get a recorded message describing the complete list, call x5358 or x5359 (TDD).

BUS MONITOR: Transportation Services INTERN: Administration and Business OFFICE ASSISTANT/INTERPRETER:

College of Arts and Sciences INSTRUCTOR, MATHEMATICS: School of

Preparatory Studies